

1. At the top of page 1 of the specification, please amend the title of the invention as follows:

SPRING DRIVE SYSTEM AND [[WINDOW]] COVER

2. In the specification, at approximately page 15, line 20 thereof, please replace the first two paragraphs in the Detailed Description (full title: "D. Detailed Description of the Preferred Embodiment(s)") with the following two paragraphs:

FIGS. 1 and 2 depict a conventional horizontal slat (venetian) window cover system 10 in closed (fully lowered) and nearly fully open positions, respectively. The cover system 10 comprises an elongated [[top]] housing or support or base 11 within which a spring drive is mounted. The associated blind 12 comprises horizontal slats 13 and a bottom rail 14 which can be the same as the slats but, preferably, is sufficiently heavy, or weighted to provide stability to the blind 12.

FIGS. 3 and 4 depict a conventional horizontal pleated blind cover system 20 in closed and nearly fully open positions, respectively. The blind cover system 20 comprises housing or support or base 11 within which a spring drive unit is mounted. The associated blind 22 typically comprises light weight fabric or other material which is resilient and maintains the shape of horizontal pleats 23. The blind also includes a bottom rail 24 which is sufficiently heavy or weighted, to provide stability to the blind 22.